

Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, OCT. 28, 1904.

Local Matters.

Prices tomorrow at 6:23 and sets 5:04.
11:23 water at 10:30 a. m. and 10:43 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section fair and continued cool tonight. Saturday fair and warmer; light variable winds.

The St. Asaph Pool Room.

As was stated in the Gazette at the time, indictments against J. M. Hill, Charles Burlingame and Lewis Burlingame, proprietor, telegraph operator, and manager, respectively, in the St. Asaph poolroom, was obtained by Commonwealth's Attorney M. C. M. at the Alexandria County Court Wednesday afternoon. The indictments charge these men with making books and gambling on horse races contrary to the laws of Virginia. Mr. Hill's attorneys, Charles C. Carlin and Edmund Burke, filed a demurrer and Justice Nicol, of the Circuit Court, will hear arguments on the demurrer tomorrow.

It will be remembered that a few weeks ago Mr. Hill's attorneys obtained from the Court of Appeals of Virginia an injunction restraining Mr. Mackey from getting out a warrant against the poolroom proprietors, and trying them before a justice of the peace in Alexandria county, on the ground that the St. Asaph poolroom is within one mile of Alexandria city, and therefore is under the jurisdiction of the city and not the county authorities. Argument on this injunction will be heard before the Court of Appeals in Richmond, on November 18. In order to circumvent this move, which had the effect of trying his hands until November 18, Mr. Mackey went before the grand jury, now in session at the county courthouse, and obtained an indictment against the poolroom proprietors, who will now have to appear before the County Court instead of before a justice of the peace. Mr. Hill, in a recent statement concerning the action of the county authorities against the proprietors of St. Asaph, said: "If I am running a business contrary to the laws of Virginia, I want to know it, so I can close up. If I am not breaking the law I want to know it, so I can continue without being interrupted every other day. Twelve years ago, in the case of Lackey against Palmer, the decision was in my favor. Subsequent to that a bill was passed by the Virginia legislature, which had a bearing on my poolroom. As soon as the bill became a law I consulted the best attorneys I could find. Not only did I have my present attorneys go over it carefully, but I went to Richmond and obtained an opinion from Judge Crump, one of the best known lawyers in the State. They all agreed that with the changes I had I was absolutely within the law. Even this did not satisfy me. I took the bill to Philadelphia and laid it before attorneys who had been engaged in the big poolroom fights in Pennsylvania, and who were specialists in that line. They agreed with the opinions of the Virginia lawyers that I was conducting an establishment which was absolutely legal. I would be very glad, indeed, to have a test case before the court of appeals and get a final decision in the matter."

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Thomas Carter, colored, arrested by Officer Arrington charged with abusive language toward Mary Sims, was dismissed.

Frederick Sinclair, arrested by Chief Webster charged with abusive and disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

Two white men, arrested by Officer Allen for disorderly conduct, were fined \$5 each.

A white man, arrested by Officer Smith charged with abusive language, was dismissed, the charge having been withdrawn.

Robert Bolden, colored, arrested by Officer Henderson for creating a nuisance at the Southern Railway depot, was dismissed.

A white boy, arrested by Officer Allen for disorderly conduct, was turned over to his parents for correction.

Arthur Gubrick and Dominick Furlong, charged with entering Southern Railway cars, had their case continued.

Italians Attacked.

Three Italians (two men and one woman) reported to the police yesterday that they had been attacked the previous night while in a small frame house on the road between this city and Washington. They stated that an attempt was made to break the blinds and that shots were fired into the house. Officers Young and Gill went to the scene. They found holes in the house made by bullets, but were unable to ascertain the names of the parties who made the attack. The house is beyond the police jurisdiction of Alexandria.

Death of Mr. Hagart.

Mr. Victor E. Hagart, a well-known citizen, died at his home, 415 south Washington street, early this morning. The deceased was 34 years old. He leaves a widow and one child. Mr. Hagart was for a long time engaged in the insurance business in this city, and had many friends and acquaintances. He was a native of Bedford county, Va. This is the second affliction which has befallen the family within less than a month. Mr. Andrew Hagart, father of the deceased, having died on the 2d instant.

Football.

The Alexandria Athletic Club will on Saturday evening play the Tanglewoods of Washington on the fair grounds at 4:30 sharp. The line-up of the Alexandrians will be as follows: Delaney, center; Tenneyson, left guard; Green, left tackle; Grey, left end; Patterson, left half back; Chancey, full back; Bradley, right half back; Green, right end; Dobson, right tackle; McKenney, right guard; Kirk, quarterback back. Scrivener, Garret, Tomlin and Duffey, substitutes. On Tuesday the Alexandrians will play the Olympians from Washington.

Patents Granted.

Messrs. Davis & Davis, Washington patent attorneys, report the grant, this week, to citizens of this State, of the following patents: Robert E. Emerson, assignor to the Emerson Steam Pump Company, of Alexandria, for a steam vacuum pump; Charles A. Jenken and William H. Tredwell, of Hampton, for an electrical signaling apparatus; Henry L. Trimmer, of Portsmouth, for a transom-lifter; Alpheus Fields, of Gilmerston, for a bedstead, and to George O. Seward, of Holcombs Rock, for a method of carbon analysis.

Fell Through a Trestle.

William Smallwood, while walking on the electric railway bridge across Hunting creek about 6 o'clock this morning fell through the trestle and was badly bruised. The crew of the milk train which passed later picked him up and conveyed him to his home in New Alexandria. Smallwood is employed at the gas works in this city.

New Bank Building.

The scaffolding in front of Burke & Herbert's new banking building on the southeast corner of King and Fairfax streets has been removed and the beauties of the structure are now admired by passersby. The building is handsome and one of the most imposing in the city.

Walter Fairfax, colored, died at his home, 514 north Columbus street, yesterday. The deceased was 20 years old. The remains will be forwarded by DeMaime & Son to Markham, where they will be interred.

Port Paragaphs.

Mr. Samuel H. Lunt, auctioneer, will offer for sale at noon tomorrow in front of the Royal street entrance to the City Hall a house and lot on the south side of Franklin street, between Fairfax and Lee. The sale will be in pursuance of a decree of the Corporation Court in the case of Edie V. Wood vs. Richard Ella Nalls et al. He will also sell in front of the Market building about 12 o'clock two building lots on the west side of Royal street, between Cameron and Queen streets.

Mr. Lunt will also sell four building lots near Del Ray at 4 o'clock tomorrow evening.

Charged With Assault.

A telephone message was received at the police station from Annadale, Fairfax county, today, requesting the officers to look out for a young colored man who, it was said, was on his way to this city and who was charged with attempting to assault two little white girls while on their way to school, near Annadale, this morning. Officer Henderson at once started over the Duke street road to look for the man, and when he reached Mr. Clinton Ballenger's store in West End found him. Mr. Ballenger had also been requested to look out for the man and shortly thereafter the latter reached the store on a wagon and was in the act of jumping therefrom when Mr. Ballenger seized him and held him until Officer Henderson arrived.

The officer took the man in charge and brought him to the station house in this city, where he gave his name as Robert Proctor and his age as 18 years. He denied the charge, saying he knew nothing about the affair. One of the girls, however, brought to the station house this evening and she fully identified Proctor as the assailant.

It appeared that the two girls, Robbie Burns and Elsie Smart, aged 7 and 9 respectively, were going to school this morning when they were met on the road by Proctor, who, by the way, had been released from the Fairfax jail on Wednesday, having been confined there for an assault on a colored girl named Berkeley. Proctor told the girls to put down the basket they were carrying and go into the woods with him. They refused, when Proctor drew a pistol and threatened to shoot them. They began to shriek when their cries were heard by Mr. Munch, who was coming down the road and who hastened to their assistance. Proctor, seeing that he had been discovered, ran off and was soon lost in the woods. The authorities of Fairfax were at once notified and telephone messages were sent out in all directions to apprehend Proctor and his arrest soon followed.

Officers from Fairfax are expected here this evening to take Proctor back to that county.

Presented with Loving Cup.

There was a large attendance at the regular communication of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons last night. An interesting feature of the meeting was the presentation of a silver loving cup to Mr. W. A. Moore, tiler of Washington and Jackson Lodges, by the members of those organizations. The presentation speech was made by Mr. J. E. Alexander, the oldest Past Master of Andrew Jackson Lodge. Mr. Moore made an appropriate response. The latter was made a Mason fifty years ago the 24th of the present month. During this time he has been Worshipful Master of Alexandria-Washington Lodge and District Deputy Grand Master. The token is on exhibition at the jewelry store of R. C. Acton & Son.

Will Change Depots?

It is said in railroad circles that when the improvements now in progress west and north of this city shall have been completed, Washington and Ohio passenger and freight trains will depart from and arrive at the present Southern Railway depot, corner of Duke and Henry streets. This, it is said, will be rendered necessary by the location of the new railroad yard which is to extend from St. Asaph to Four-mile run. The embankments of the Washington and Ohio road with the over-head bridges run east and west through the ground acquired for the new yard. These, it is supposed, will be removed.

Funeral.

The funeral of the late Captain Wm. H. Smith took place this afternoon from the residence on north Alfred street. A large number of relatives, friends and acquaintances were present to pay respect to the memory of the deceased. The members of the Friendship Fire Company were in attendance. The services were conducted by Rev. J. P. Stump, pastor of the M. E. Church South, assisted by Rev. E. V. Regester, of Baltimore, and the pallbearers were Messrs. B. F. Penn, Theophilus Ballenger, G. E. Price, Oscar Phillips, Robert F. Lee and James Javins.

Pilgrimage to Pohl.

The members of Mt. Vernon Chapter, D. A. R., will make a pilgrimage to old Pohl Church tomorrow (Saturday) and would be glad to have any of their friends that care to accompany them. The train leaves Cameron and Fayette streets station at 11 a. m., returning about 3 p. m. Pohl Church is closely associated with the history of General Washington, and its complete restoration is one of the objects for which Mt. Vernon Chapter has been working. The chapter will be entertained by the congregation of Pohl Church.

Opera House.

The English melodrama "Struggle of Life" was presented at the Opera House last night by the Arnold Stock Company before a large audience. Every character was well taken, those deserving special mention being Misses Bolton and Nelson and Messrs. Payne, Franklin and Goodwin. Tonight the company will present the melodrama "The Little Mother." This drama is full of bright comedy and pathos, and will no doubt be greatly enjoyed. Baby Daniels is starred in this piece, and some clever work is expected.

Corporation Court.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.]

The will of the late Daniel Triplett, colored, was admitted to probate and his widow, Ann V. Triplett, qualified as administratrix. The deceased left his estate, valued at about \$600, to his widow and at her death to his two adopted children, W. F. and Lena V. Triplett.

Ida E. Solomon vs. Chas. W. Solomon, colored, decree for divorce on the ground of desertion.

The Water Supply.

The cleaning out of one of the reservoirs of the Alexandria Water Company has been almost completed and the officers of the company say that less sediment was found than ever before when similar work was done. The reservoirs are drained every four or five years, the last time being in May, 1901. The connection pipe recently laid at the pump house was to facilitate the filling and draining of the reservoirs. Now the pumps can be used in filling one reservoir, while the other is being drained.

Fingers Mashed.

Fireman Francis of the Washington Southern Railway had the ends of several fingers mashed off last night while he was endeavoring to operate the sand box of the locomotive of a north bound freight train. The accident occurred on Franconia hill. The injured man was brought to this city and conducted to Dr. Smith's office by Watchman Winter Crupper, where he received surgical attention.

Laymen's Association.

A Laymen's Association of the Alexandria district, M. E. Church, was formed in this city at Trinity Church on Tuesday night last. The officers chosen were A. S. Householder, of Loudoun, president; Wm. Pierpoint, of Alexandria, secretary, and M. E. Church, of Fairfax, treasurer. The object is to have this district taken from the Virginia and joined to the Baltimore conference.

Circuit Court for the County.

[Judge C. E. Nicol presiding.]

Continuation of yesterday's proceedings. Finley & Son vs. W. A. & Mt. V. Ry. Co., suit for the destruction of a wagon &c.; jury and verdict for defendant company. Court adjourned till Saturday.

Confession of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes: "For 12 years I suffered from Yellow Jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began to use Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years." If you want a relief medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons. Only 50c.

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Personal.

Mrs. S. F. Gregory has returned from Westmoreland county where she spent the summer.

Rev. Benj. A. Scull has been appointed pastor of the Free Methodist Church, succeeding Rev. C. A. Kress.

Miss Grace Lee Foley, daughter of Mr. R. E. Foley, of Warrenton, and Mr. John W. T. Grant, of Alexandria, were married at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Janet Harrison, of Leesburg, is the guest of Mrs. Cassius F. Lee.

Miss Hoxton, of Seminary Hill, is visiting friends in Charlottesville, W. Va.

Lieut. Chas. M. Maigue, U. S. Cavalry, is visiting friends in this city.

Miss Estelle Edelen, formerly of this city, was married in New York last Saturday to Mr. Harry W. Walker, a prominent newspaper man of that city.

Officer John T. Roberts has been acting Lieutenant of the police force for the past few days during the temporary absence of Lieutenant James Smith.

A marriage was granted in Washington yesterday to Char. O. Brill, aged 73, and Corinne Dyer, aged 41. Mr. Brill is a former Alexandrian.

President Samuel Spencer, of the Southern Railway Company, and Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan will pass through this city tomorrow on an inspecting tour over that road. They will go to Florida.

Rev. C. E. Ball, formerly of Alexandria, is visiting friends in this city.

First Premiums.

Mr. Harry Smoot, of Sperryville, formerly of this city, exhibited 11 Short-horn Durhams at the Hagerstown, Md., fair and took all the first premiums. He sold a two-year-old heifer for \$150 and a bull four months old for \$100. An Ohio man was the purchaser.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Several cows were killed by a Washington and Ohio train near Leesburg yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth M. Janney has sold to Frederick and Wm. J. Schuler the vacant lot on the northwest corner of King and Patrick streets.

Mr. Grillbort sent to this office today a sample of the beautiful chrysanthemums which he will have for sale at his stand in market tomorrow.

C. A. Shaffer & Co. will have for sale at their stand in market tomorrow a fine lot of large chrysanthemums at reasonable prices, also a fine collection of tulips and hyacinth bulbs.

The A. A. A. football team (colored) will play the junior eleven of Howard University tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. The Alexandria team will appear in new uniforms.

It is said that an attempt was made to set fire to an unoccupied frame house on Commerce street last night, but that the fire was discovered and extinguished before any material damage resulted.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Warren P. Clarke, of Woodbridge, and Edith M. Carter, of Occoquan, and to Edward P. Carlin, of Chester Brook, and Anna E. Campbell.

Surprising Steam-Oysters exclusively at the Opera House Cafe.

Monthly Seol Tickets.

The Washington, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon Railway Company announces that on November 1, 1904, there will be placed on sale at the ticket offices in Alexandria and Washington a 46-trip monthly school ticket, for \$3.10. It will be necessary for the children going to school to apply at the ticket offices each month for a blank certificate which must be filled out and properly signed by the principal, head master or teacher and presented to the agents to obtain the same.

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Miller Oil Heaters, regular price \$7, anniversary price, \$3.98

R. & H. Nickel Reading Lamp, central draft. Sold many places at \$2, anniversary price, \$1.19

Spanned Coal Hods, regular price 25c, anniversary price, 15c

Galvanized Water Pails, (every pair guaranteed), worth 20c, anniversary price, 10c

Long Handle Fire Shovel, regular price 10c, anniversary price, 5c

5c Crystal Glass Fruit Saucers, 2 for 10c

5c Crystal Glass Bowls, 2 for 10c

5c White Enamel Coated Bowls, 2 for 10c

Long, fancy ends and ready to hang, anniversary price, 10c

Lace Curtain Pins, per dozen 3c, by the box (1 gross) 25c

100 piece Dinner Set, worth \$9.50, anniversary price, \$7.98

Wood Chopping Bowls, worth 15c, anniversary price, 10c

Umbrella Stands, large size, worth \$3, anniversary price, \$1.98

Toilet Bureau Sets, consisting of two toilet bottles, comb tray, pin tray, puff box and hair pin box; worth \$1.50, anniversary price, 98c

Large 8-inch Yellow and Gold Baking Dish, worth 20c, anniversary price, 10c

Large White China Vegetable Dish, worth 19c, anniversary price, 10c

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10 Quart Tin Dish Pans, 10c

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4 " " Covered Buckets, 10c

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Tacks, per box, 1c

Moulding Picture Hooks, each, 1c

Picture Nails, 3 for 1c

Coat Hangers, each, 5c

Do It Now.

Articles necessary for fall house cleaning:

Store Brushes, 10c

Stove Polish, per cake, 1c

Ready Mixed Paints, 10c

Covered Tin Pans, 10c

Dust Brushes, 10c

Domestic Scouring Soap, 3c

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